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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW & PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY

In the Matter of)	
)	Administrative Action
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IRA EISENSTEIN, D.M.D.)	
License No. DI 11150)	CONSENT ORDER
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)	
Licensed to Practice Dentistry))	
in the State of New Jersey)	
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This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Dentistry ("Board") upon information that Dr. Eisentstein may be unable to perform the duties and functions of a licensee of the Board based on his medical condition. Following receipt of information from Dr. Eisenstein's treating psychiatrist, physician, and psychologist, all of whom stated that respondent was currently complying with a medical protocol designed to stabilize his condition, the Board has determined that respondent may continue to practice subject to the conditions outlined in this order. The Board finds that the restrictions placed on respondent's practice

by this order are adequate to protect the health and welfare of the public, and that good cause exists for entry of this order:

IT IS ON THIS ^{11th} DAY OF ~~JUNE~~^{August}, 1998

ORDERED:

1. Respondent shall not practice as a sole practitioner and agrees to practice dentistry in affiliation with a dentist licensed by this Board, who shall be in a position to monitor respondent's practice of dentistry. Respondent shall submit the name of the supervising dentist to the Board for approval prior to engaging in practice. Respondent shall provide to the supervising dentist a copy of this Order and any further orders of the Board related to respondent. Respondent shall be responsible for ensuring that the supervising dentist understands his or her obligation to advise the Board and respondent's psychiatrist within twenty-four (24) hours thereof of any conduct suggestive of decompensation or of an inability to discharge his duties as a licensee. Respondent shall immediately report and obtain Board approval before any change in affiliation with his supervising dentist.

2. Respondent shall, at his expense, submit to a complete psychiatric examination by a board certified or board eligible psychiatrist who shall prepare a report for the Board detailing respondent's current medical condition, his ability to practice, the restrictions, if any, the psychiatrist believes are necessary to protect the public health safety and welfare, and respondent's prognosis. That examination shall be completed by September 1, 1998.

3. Respondent shall continue in counseling, at his own expense, at least one time per week. Respondent shall be responsible for ensuring that the above designated practitioner provides the Board with quarterly reports regarding his attendance and progress in counseling. Respondent shall notify the Board in writing within twenty-four hours of any change in the provider of psychotherapeutic counseling.

4. Respondent shall provide any and all releases to any and all parties who are participating in the monitoring, treating or other program as outlined herein, as may be required in order that all reports, records, and other pertinent information may be provided to the Board in a timely manner. With regard to any requirement for submission of the quarterly reports to the Board, the beginning of the first quarter is deemed to have commenced June 15, 1998.

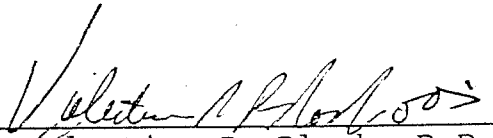
5. Upon the Board's receipt of any information which the Board, in its sole discretion, deems reliable demonstrating that respondent has failed to comply with any of the conditions herein, including but not limited to report of a failure to attend therapy sessions or failure to take medications as prescribed, or a prima facie showing of a relapse or recurrence of his illness, respondent's license to practice dentistry shall be automatically and temporarily suspended pending a hearing before the Board or a committee of the Board, within ten days, which hearing shall be to determine whether respondent's license shall be suspended for an indefinite period of time. Any report from the treating physician and psychologist which indicates that respondent has not been

cooperative with his treatment, shall be cause for the automatic suspension to be activated.

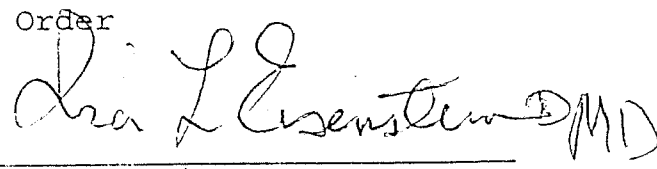
6. Respondent may apply to the Board for relief from the restrictions contained in this Order not sooner than one year from the date of its entry. The Board may, in its discretion, require respondent to appear before the Board and/or to submit to such examinations as it deems appropriate in order to satisfy itself that respondent is fully capable of discharging the duties of a licensee and that lifting the restrictions will not impact negatively on the health, safety, and welfare of the public.

New Jersey Board of Dentistry

By:


Valentine P. Bloch, D.D.S.
President

I have read and understand this Consent Order and agree to be bound by its terms. I give my consent to the Board to enter this Order


Ira Eisenstein, D.M.D.